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Marks the Opening of the Social Season.

The Ladies
Of St. Louis and vicinity will
find at our store the most el-
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Party
Shoes

(in colors to match costumes) in
St. Louis.

The Gentlemen
Will find Full Dress Shoes and
Dancing Pumps made up espe-
cially for the trade.

SWOPE'S, 311 NORTH BROADWAY.

OUR SPECIAL BRAND WOMEN'S WELTED SHOES.....\$2.50



In lace and button, kid and
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values in the city. See dis-
play in our show windows.

Would also call attention
to our Misses' welated shoes,
in lace and button, at \$2.00,
sizes 11½ to 2, and Child's
at \$1.75, sizes 8½ to 11.

It will compensate you to
see these values.

Reid Shoe Co. 411-415 N. BROADWAY

A bottle of
Bromo-Phosphate
Counteracts the ill
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FOR WOMEN ONLY

Dr. Raymond's Pills
For Delayed Periods.
Thousands of the most delicate
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found relief from the most
troublesome of ailments by
using Dr. Raymond's Pills.
They are a perfect substitute for
any other medicine, and
they are sold everywhere.
Write today. Price \$2.50 per mail.

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Excelling
all other
worms
in the
system.
It is the
only
cure for
this
dreaded
disease.
No
pain,
no
danger.
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BONOMO DRY ROASTED COFFEE

Is the only
coffee
that
keeps
its
flavor
and
strength
throughout
the
year.
Write
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THE ONLY PLACE

to buy
a complete
assortment
of
school
books.

SCHOOL BOOKS

For all
schools
may be
obtained
at
discount
prices.

BELL'S BOOK STORE

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HILTS'

\$2.50
SHOES

CUSTOM-MADE,
For
Men and Women.

Why Pay

\$3.50
Elsewhere?

HILTS'

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SHOES

BENCH-MADE,
For
Men and Women.

Why Pay

\$5.00
Elsewhere?

OUR REPUTATION

Of 25 years in the retail shoe business is staked on
these shoes. Every pair is made right here in St.
Louis in our own factory, under the supervision of
skilled shoe men. Made after our own ideas from
carefully selected stock; lined with best wearing lining;
silk stitched and extra braced where strain is greatest.

Overweight "Rock Oak" soles, which
will wear out two pairs of soles
usually placed on \$2.50 and \$3.50 shoes.
All sizes—all widths—all leathers—
all styles; Goodyear and hand-weltd.

INSPECT THE ALLURING DISPLAY
OF THIS FOOTWEAR IN WINDOWS
NO. 7 AND 8, CORNER SIXTH
AND FRANKLIN AVENUE.

Better still, step in and examine them.

SHOES TO MEASURE!

Special orders to measure of our \$3.50 line will be taken
by expert shoemakers at \$1 per pair additional.

\$2.50
CUSTOM MADE
SHOES

For
Men and Women.
Why Pay

\$3.50
Elsewhere?

C. E. HILTS

SHOE CO.,
THE WORLD'S
GREATEST
CUT-PRICE
SHOEMAKERS.

\$3.50
SIXTH AND
FRANKLIN
AVE.

\$5.00
Elsewhere?

Browning, King & Co

CLOTHING, FURNITURE, AND MORE

Suits for Young Men

There are rather marked changes in the styles for
Young Men for the coming Fall and Winter, in both
Suits and Overcoats.

We shall be glad to show them to you at your early
convenience.

Our new sale of Half-Sizes in Suits makes an exact
fit a certainty.

Dress Coats

FOR THE

Veiled Prophet's Ball.

Correct in shape and style, such as the latest fashion
demands, and at about ½ Merchant Tailor Prices.

"The inspiration of Fashion," said Beau Brummel, "is
in tiring of the old and craving for the new."

Broadway and
Pine Street
SAINT LOUIS
MO.

Broadway of Third Street NEW YORK
Pine Street, Copper Street

A WOMAN'S LITTLE ILLS



AN AGGRAVATED CASE.

Mrs. M. A. O'Connor, of Elk City,
Kan., is one of thousands of women
who have been cured of Stomach
Trouble by Eupesia Tablets. Her
case was a peculiarly aggravated one—
one of thirty-three years stand-
ing. Read her statement; we will
forget \$100.00 if we cannot prove
that it is genuine:

"I am so thankful," she writes, "for
the good Eupesia Tablets have done
for me. I have found in them a balm
for my poor stomach. My trouble
was of thirty-three years' standing,
and the doctors pronounced me incur-
able, but Eupesia Tablets cured me."

All druggists sell Eupesia Tablets, or
we will send them direct. Price 25c.
If they fail to cure, write for
our book on Stomach Troubles. We mail
it free, with three days' trial.

EUPESIA CHEMICAL CO.,
409 Walnut St., St. Louis, Mo.

WOMEN

Don't seem to
realize when they
are nervous and
restless, with dull
eyes and dulled complexion, no appetite
and frequent headaches, that there is
anything serious about it. But these in-
dications are pretty certain indica-
tions of a deranged stomach, and
unless remedied may soon develop into
some health-destroying disease.

But don't make the mistake of doing
yourself with cathartics or opiates.
While these may give temporary relief,
if persisted in they will ultimately bring
the system to the verge of collapse.

The rational way to cure the little ill
is to cure their cause—indigestion. You
can do this absolutely and permanently
by taking

Eupesia
TABLETS

according to directions and avoiding
indigestible food afterwards.

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Do You Ever

stop to consider the
present efficiency of the
TELEGRAPH SERVICE
compared with what it
was before the "POSTAL"
entered the field?

ALTON.

Mrs. R. E. Russell has returned to
Chicago after visiting in Upper Alton.
Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Otto departed Tues-
day for Fort Smith, Ark.

Mrs. Kate Woodson has returned to Chi-
cago after visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. J.
Rink in Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Timony have re-
turned from St. Louis, Pa., where they
spent the summer.

Miss Nora Thelmont has returned to
Chicago, Ill., after visiting friends in Upper
Alton.

Miss Ida Mack has returned from Col-
umbia Springs, where she spent the sum-
mer.

Mrs. Lillian Callison entertained Misses
T. J. Kennedy and R. H. Nugent of St.
Louis last week at her home in Monroe
street.

Miss Emma Hack has returned from a
fortnight's visit in Fulton, Mo.

Mrs. Emily Wood departed last week
for Carson City, Nev., where she will
visit several months with relatives.

Miss Pearl Thelmont departed Monday for
Bassville, Ky.

Mrs. J. M. Kittinger is entertaining
Miss Ida Graham of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Kate Gault has returned from Bar-
lington, Ia., where she spent the summer.

Mrs. Martin Wood departed last week
for Memphis, Tenn., after visiting re-
latives in Alton.

Mrs. William Watts is visiting in But-
ter, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Mueller were visitors
in St. Louis last week.

Mrs. E. E. Crawford departed Tuesday
for Austin, Tex.

Mrs. E. B. Morrison is entertaining Mrs.
Elizabeth Clark of San Francisco, Cal.

Misses J. L. Cresswell and Jane Lippin-
gott departed Tuesday for Oklahoma.

Miss Clara Youmard returned Monday
to Muncie, Ind., after visiting relatives in
Alton.

Mrs. Daniel Lawrence is visiting in Chi-
cago, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. J.
Rink in Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McGinnis has returned from
Chicago, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. J.
Rink in Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lesener are enter-
taining Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knickel of El-
khart, N. Y.

Mrs. H. C. Fox of Franklin, Tenn., is a
visitor in Alton.

Mrs. E. J. Doolittle of Springfield, Mass.,
is visiting relatives in Alton.

Miss Catherine Hildebrand has returned to
Winchester, Ill., after being the guest
of Mrs. W. H. Wagoner in Alton.

Mrs. Elizabeth Walner has returned to
St. Louis, Mo., after visiting Mrs. Louie
Fowles in Upper Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. August Barth have re-
turned from Portland, Ore.

Mrs. George Long is visiting in Los
Angeles, Cal.

Miss Emily Seidinger has returned from
Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Mary Flaxer has returned to
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Miss Alice Bowman is entertaining Miss
Elizabeth Wolf of Dallas, Tex.

Mrs. O. L. Olson has returned from
Omaha, Neb., after an extended visit at
that place.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Strehler have re-
turned from a week's visit in Chicago.

Mrs. James Finington has gone to Phila-
delphia.

Mrs. Anna Minger of New Orleans is a
visitor in Alton.

The Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Cole are
entertaining Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clifton
of St. Louis, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stephens of St. Louis
were visitors in Alton last week.

Mrs. M. C. Butler has returned to Met-
calfe, after being the guest of Mrs. J.
H. Miller in Alton.

Mrs. W. E. Stulley has returned to Man-
itowish, Colo., after visiting Mr. George H.
Shulley in Alton.

Miss Nannie Poyen has returned to Car-
roll, Ia., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. M.
Calver.

Mrs. John Leverett and daughter, Miss
Lore Leverett, have returned from Port-
land, Ore.

Illinois Coal Line.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 23.—Articles of in-
corporation were filed today with Sec-
retary of State Rose by the Herrin and
Johnson Coal Railroad Company, with
its principal office located in East St. Louis.
The capital stock of the corporation is
\$100,000, and the object is to construct a line
from Johnston City to Herrin, both in
Jackson County. The incorporators are:
L. O. Whitcomb, H. E. Brown, H. L. Brown,
W. S. Forman and L. S. McWilliams, all
of East St. Louis.

Double-bordered lace veils draped ef-
fectively around turban, the upper edge
being folded over to cover the brim of the
turban.

Scarritt-Comstock

OUR 66TH YEAR.
THE LEADING H. USE FOR
LOW PRICE AND HIGH QUALITY.

DISCRIMINATING
BUYERS, INVESTIGATE
OUR
DISTINCTIVE STYLES.

EVERYTHING IN FURNITURE

It's Fresh—Latest Styles—Well Shown.

BEAUTIFUL NEW
DINING SUITS

SHOWN IN SEPARATE ROOMS.

BRASS BEDS

Best Line of High Grade. Also
Iron Beds

BROADWAY AND LOCUST

SAYS SOCIALISTS
MAY BE PATRIOTIC

Jean Jaures Declares Greatest
Danger of Revolution Lies in
Menace of an Unrighteous War.

SPECIAL BY CABLE.

Paris, Sept. 23.—(Copyright, 1905.)—M.
Jean Jaures, prominent of the
French Socialists, holds up the menace of
a socialist revolution in the event of an
unrighteous war. A discussion has been
going on for some time past on the ques-
tion as to whether a socialist can be a
patriot. M. Jaures claims that he can be
just as good a patriot as any man, and
lays down what is generally regarded as
the socialist profession of faith. He be-
lieves that the existence of autonomous
nations is necessary to humanity, and
that the disappearance of France in her
conquest by a foreign nation would be a
disaster for the human race.

"Until democracy," writes M. Jaures
in L'Humanite, "have concluded among
themselves a definite pact of peace, of ef-
fective arbitration and simultaneous dis-
armament, it is the right and duty of
France to defend herself against any at-
tempted violence."

"It is the present duty of all Frenchmen
to defend the integrity and liberty of
France, and it is their duty, by means of
an army organization really democratic
and popular, after the type of militia, to
develop to its fullest extent the defensive
force of France."

If war should break out, it would be the
duty of every citizen to fight for the in-
dependence of the fatherland, but the peo-
ple would, in case of the war being an un-
just one, expect the full penalty from the
Government responsible.

"That the Government of Europe lightly
allow a war, originally by prize or having
planned for its object, what shall prevent
the attempted socialist revolution?"

TO DISTRIBUTE ANTITOXIN.

Agents Appointed by the Illinois
Board of Health.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 23.—Announcement
was made today by Doctor J. A. Egan,
secretary of the State Board of Health,
of the appointment of agents of the board
in the various counties of Illinois, under
an act of the last General Assembly pro-
viding for the distribution of diphtheria
antitoxin. It is the duty of each agent to
sell antitoxin at a fair price to all per-
sons requiring it, and where a person
needing the serum is unable to pay for
it, the agent must furnish it upon an order
from the Treasurer of the Poor or the
Treasurer of the Board of Health. The
appointments follow:

Adams County: M. C. Metzger, Cairo; Alexander County: Frank
E. W. Baker, Mount Sterling; Boone County: Palmer
Trubee, Princeton; Bureau County: Doctor
Robert E. Hurd, Havana; Calhoun County: Charles
E. Hurd, Havana; Cass County: M. E. Wil-
son, Tipton; Carroll County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Green; Marshall, Clark County: Dr. J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Clay County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Clinton County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Cook County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Cumberland County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; De Witt County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; DuPage County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Edwards County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Effingham County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Elgin County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Hancock County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Hardin County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Harrison County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Henry County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Jackson County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Jasper County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Jefferson County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Johnson County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Kane County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Kendall County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Keokuk County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Knox County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Kosciusko County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; LaSalle County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Lawrence County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Leaswell County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Lincoln County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Logan County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Linn County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Livingston County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Litchfield County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Macoupin County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Madison County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Mahan County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Marion County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Marshall County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Mason County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Macon County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Mayfield County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; McHenry County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; McLean County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Mercer County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Merriam County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Miller County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Minnecott County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
Tipton; Mitchell County: Doctor J. H. Hurd,
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